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## WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Siegenthaler, Peter **Report No:** WIR-021629 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 10-Mar-2011

City: Oakland, CA 94607

**OSM Arrival Time:** 700 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 1900 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC) Chanxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

**CWI Name:** Mr. ZHU ZHONG HAI **CWI Present:** Yes No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** No Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:** 

**Bridge No:** 34-0006 **Component: OBG** Segment

## **Summary of Items Observed:**

On this date CALTRANS OSM Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector Santhosh Ramakrishna Pillai was present during the times noted above for observations relative to fabrication work of the Self Anchored Suspension (SAS) Superstructure being performed by Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) at Changxing Island in Shanghai, China.

This QA inspector randomly observed the following work:

#### 1. INPROCESS:

Orthotropic Box Girder (OBG) at Trial Assembly Area:

ZPMC welding personnel performing Shielded Metal Arc Welding of Repair weld for the longitudinal shear plate to deck plate weld joint located on 12BE+12CE at bike path side. The weld is designated as DP3018-001-022. The welder is identified as 067752. ZPMC QC Mr. WANG LI YANG was onsite monitoring the welding variables. The inprocess Shielded Metal Arc Welding appears to be progressing in compliance with WPS-345-SMAW-4G (4F)-FCM-Repair-1. The weld repair report number is named as WR-20236.

ZPMC welding personnel performing Shielded Metal Arc Welding of Complete Joint Penetration welds joining the edge plate to deck plate hold back weld joint located on 12AE at bike path side. The weld is designated as CA6501-002. The welder is identified as 067752. ZPMC QC Mr. WANG LI YANG was onsite monitoring the

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welding variables. The inprocess Shielded Metal Arc Welding appears to be progressing in compliance with WPS-B-P-2214-TC-U4b-FCM-1.

2. NDT:

Magnetic Particle Testing (MT):

MT carried out as per the ZPMC submitted Notification No 08508.

This QA Inspector performed Magnetic Particle Testing (MT) of approximately 15% of the area that has been previously tested and accepted by ZPMC MT technicians. This QA Inspector generated a TL-6028 MT report on this date. The members are identified as butt joint between side plate to side plate transverse splice weld joint located on 12BE+12CE at cross beam side. The weld designation numbers is as follows: OBE12E-001, 002.

Ultrasonic Testing (UT) (A, B, C and D-Scan):

UT carried out as per the ABF submitted UT Report No UT-13E-014R1.

This QA Inspector performed Ultrasonic testing (UT) 10 % of the area that has been previously tested and accepted by ABF Quality control personnel. This QA inspector generated a UT (TL-6027) report on this date. The members are identified as corner joint between edge plate to side plate weld joint located on 13AE at cross beam side. According to rejection criteria of "D" Scan procedure that Caltrans QA did not find any Rejected indication at scanning area. The Weld Designation is as follows: SEG3007AB-018, SEG3007AB-020 & SEG3007AB-022.

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.

#### **Summary of Conversations:**

No relevant conversations were reported on this date.

#### Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Eric Tsang 150-0042-2372, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Pillai,Santosh	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Miller,Mark	QA Reviewer